

FIGURE 1

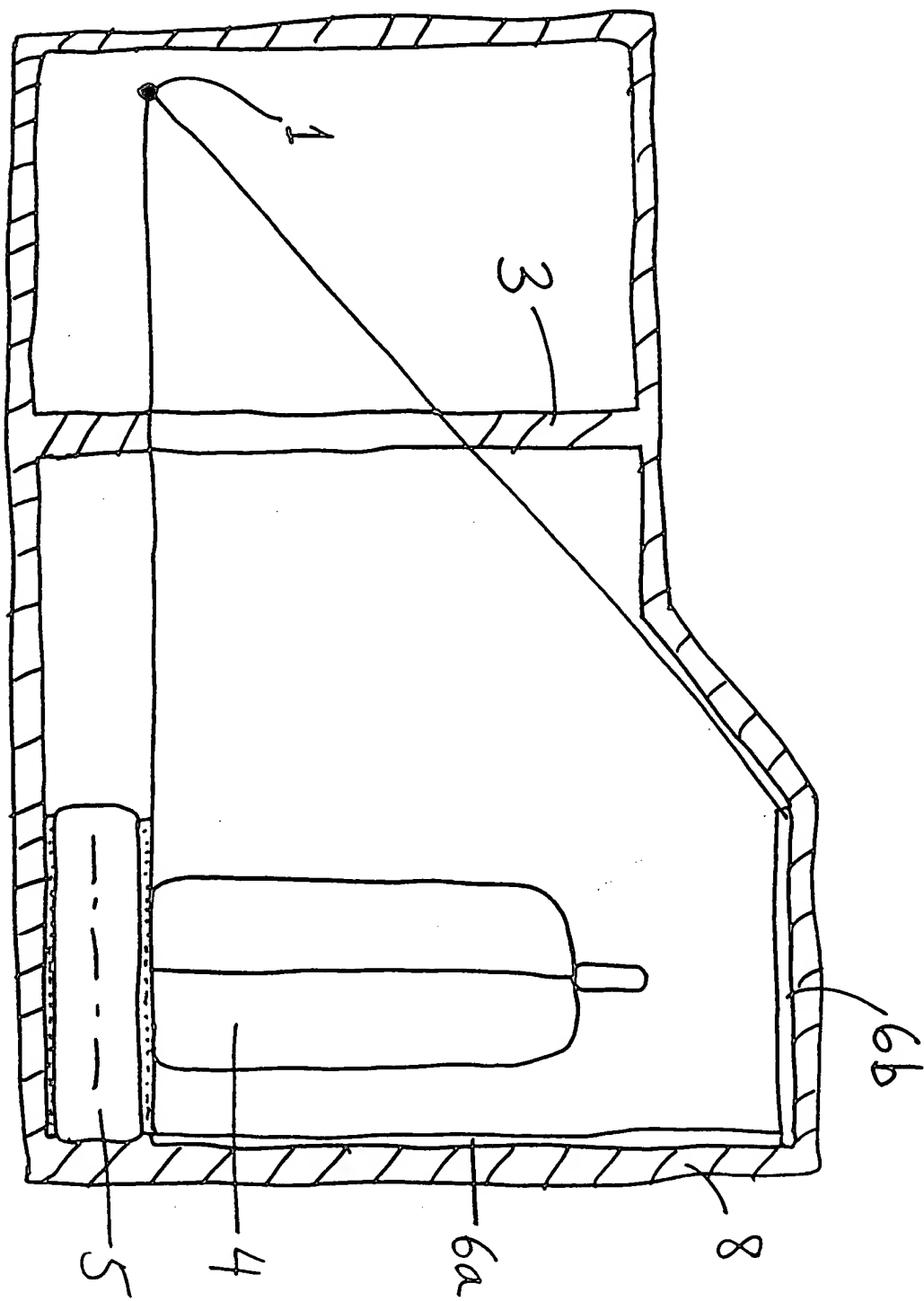


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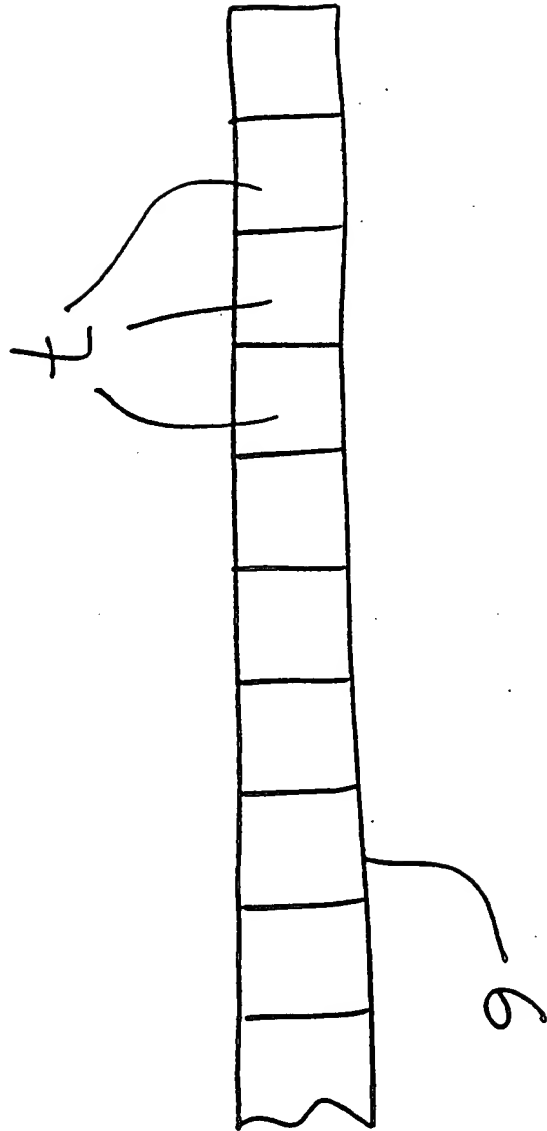


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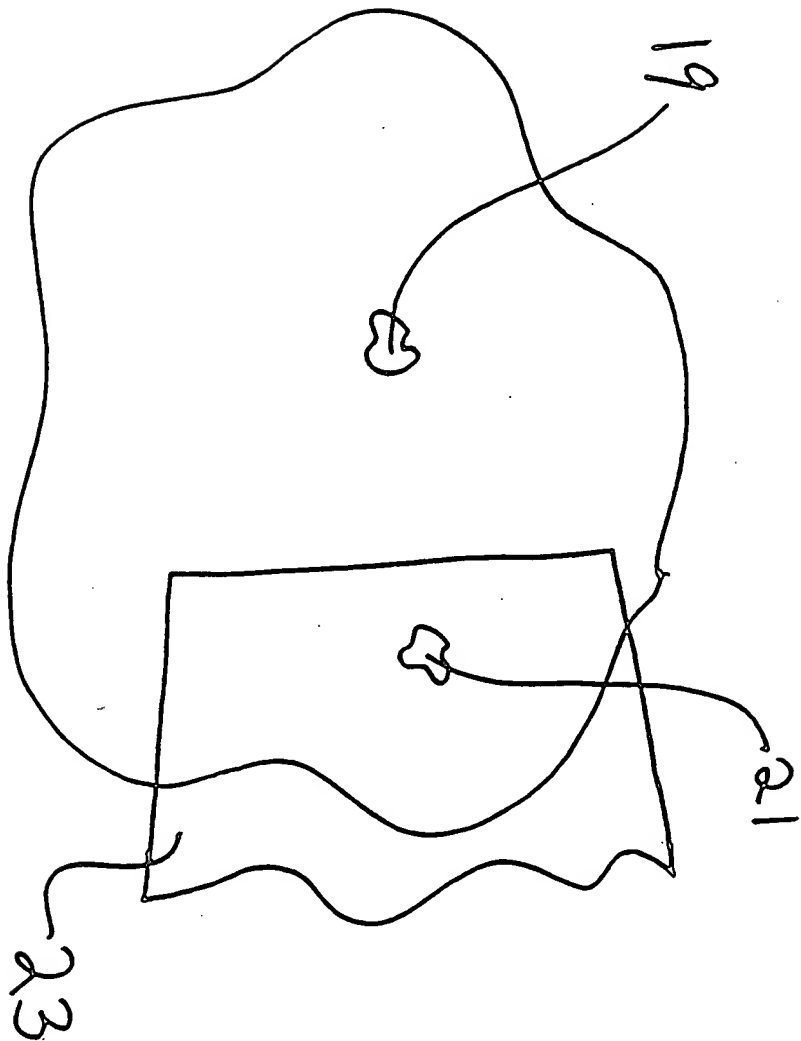


FIGURE 4

MAKING SURE  $H_T \geq H_B + \Delta H$

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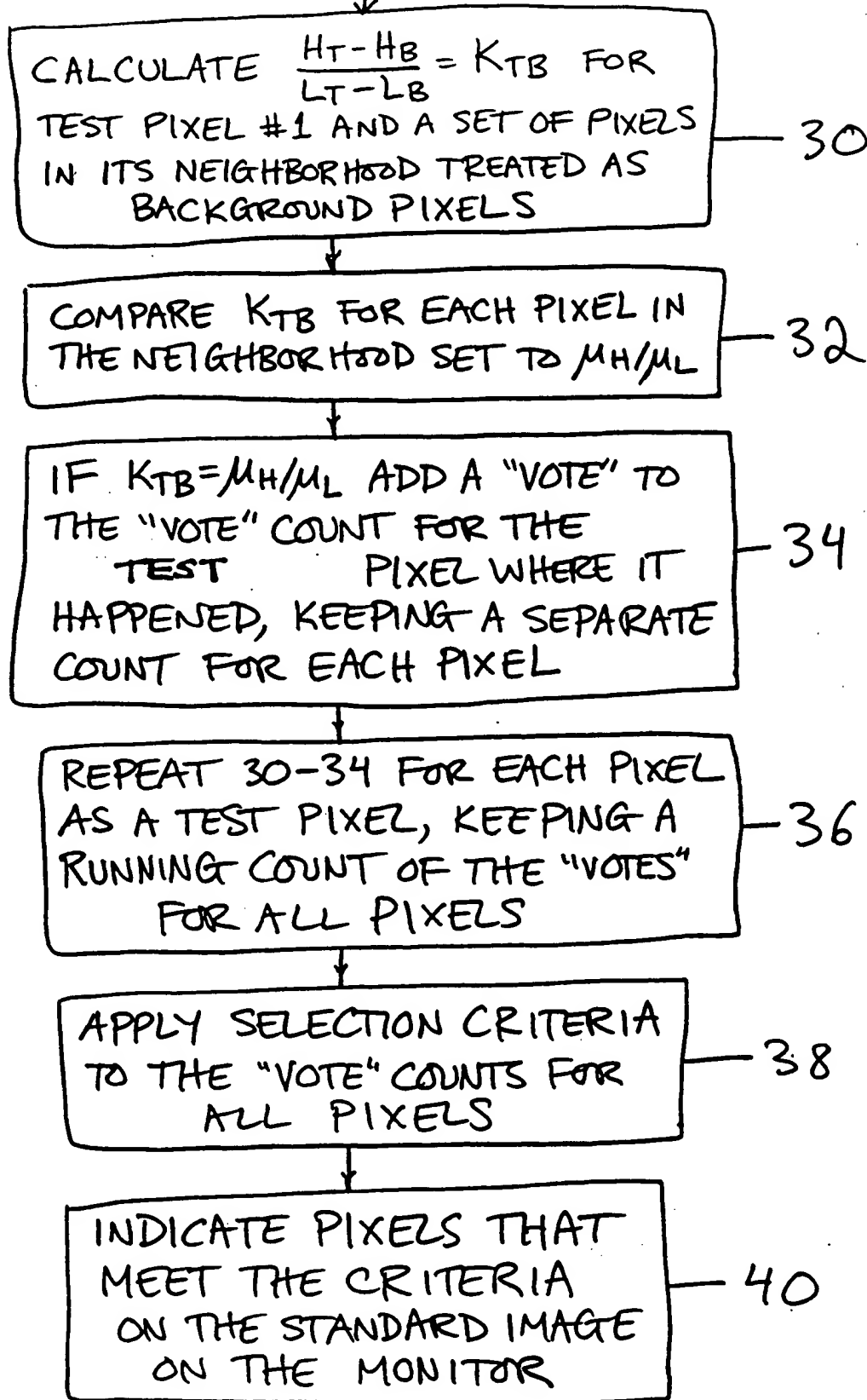


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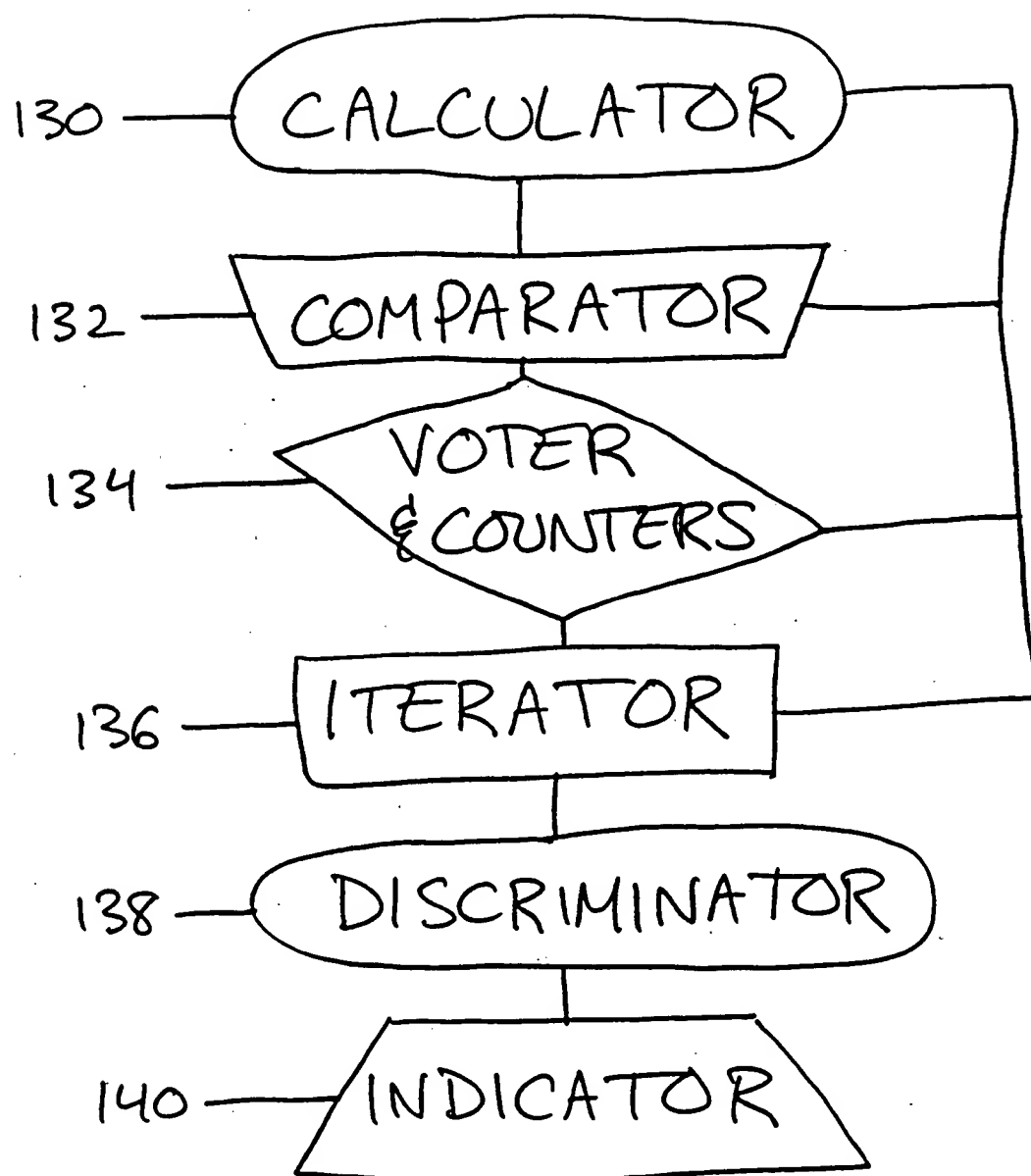


FIGURE 6

MAKE SURE  $H_T \geq H_B + \Delta H$

CALCULATE  $\frac{H_T - H_B}{L_T - L_B} = K_{TB}$  FOR

TEST PIXEL #1 AND A SET OF PIXELS  
IN ITS NEIGHBORHOOD TREATED AS  
BACKGROUND PIXELS

230

COMPARE  $K_{TB}$  FOR EACH PIXEL IN  
THE NEIGHBORHOOD SET TO A  
NUMBER FOUND IN THE LOOKUP TABLE  
AND ALSO ON THE PARTICULAR  
 $M + C(L_T, L_B, H_T, H_B, L_T, L_B, H_T, H_B, L_T, L_B)$   
 $H$ 'S AND  $L$ 'S IN 230

232

IF  $K_{TB}$  EQUALS THE NUMBER IN 232  
ADD A "VOTE" TO THE "VOTE" COUNT  
FOR THE TEST PIXEL  
WHERE IT HAPPENED, KEEPING  
A SEPARATE COUNT FOR EACH PIXEL

234

REPEAT 230-234 FOR EACH PIXEL  
AS A TEST PIXEL, KEEPING A  
RUNNING COUNT OF THE "VOTES"  
FOR ALL PIXELS

236

APPLY SELECTION CRITERIA  
TO THE "VOTE" COUNTS FOR  
ALL PIXELS

238

INDICATE PIXELS THAT  
MEET THE CRITERIA ON THE  
STANDARD IMAGE ON THE MONITOR

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FIGURE 7

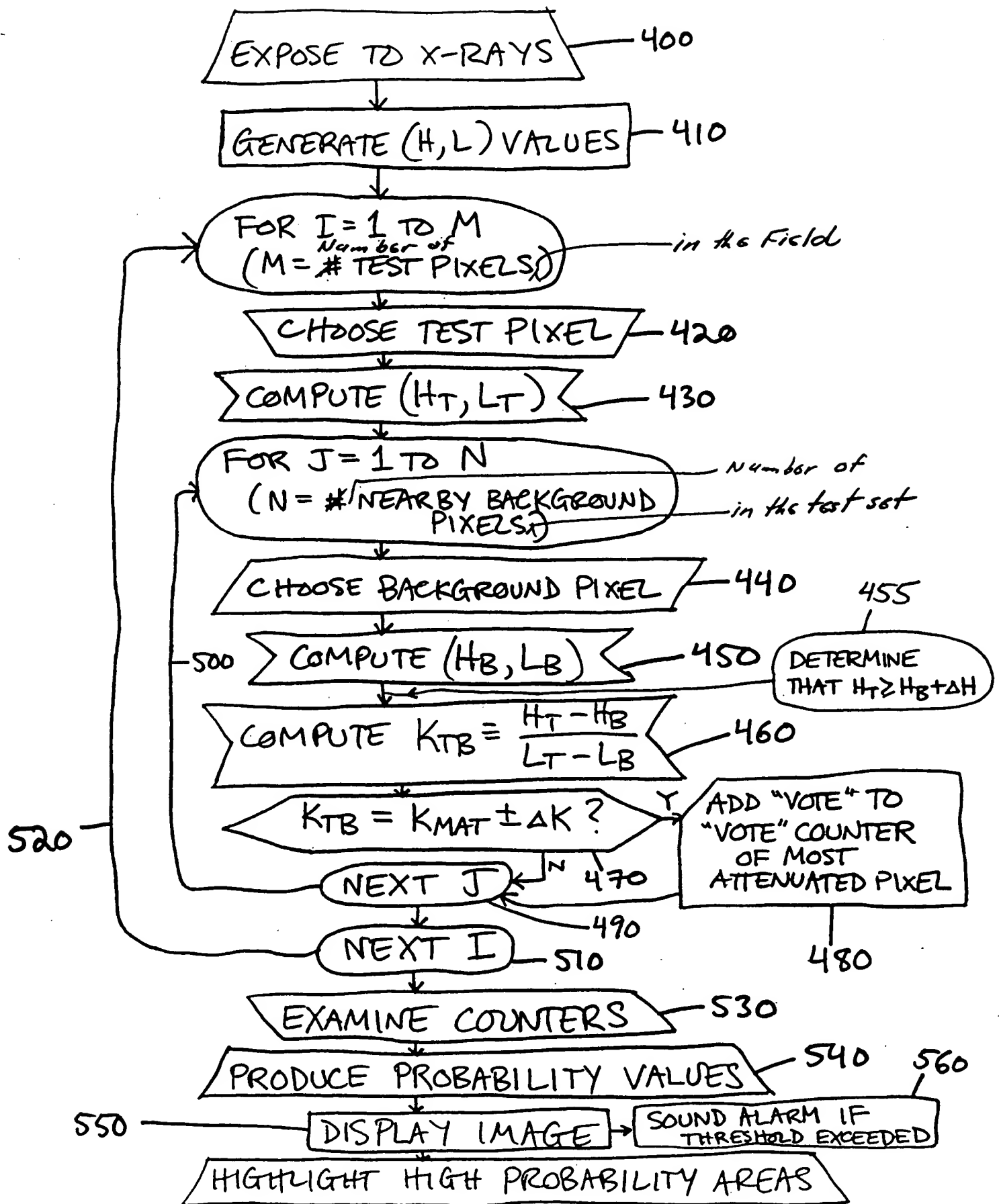
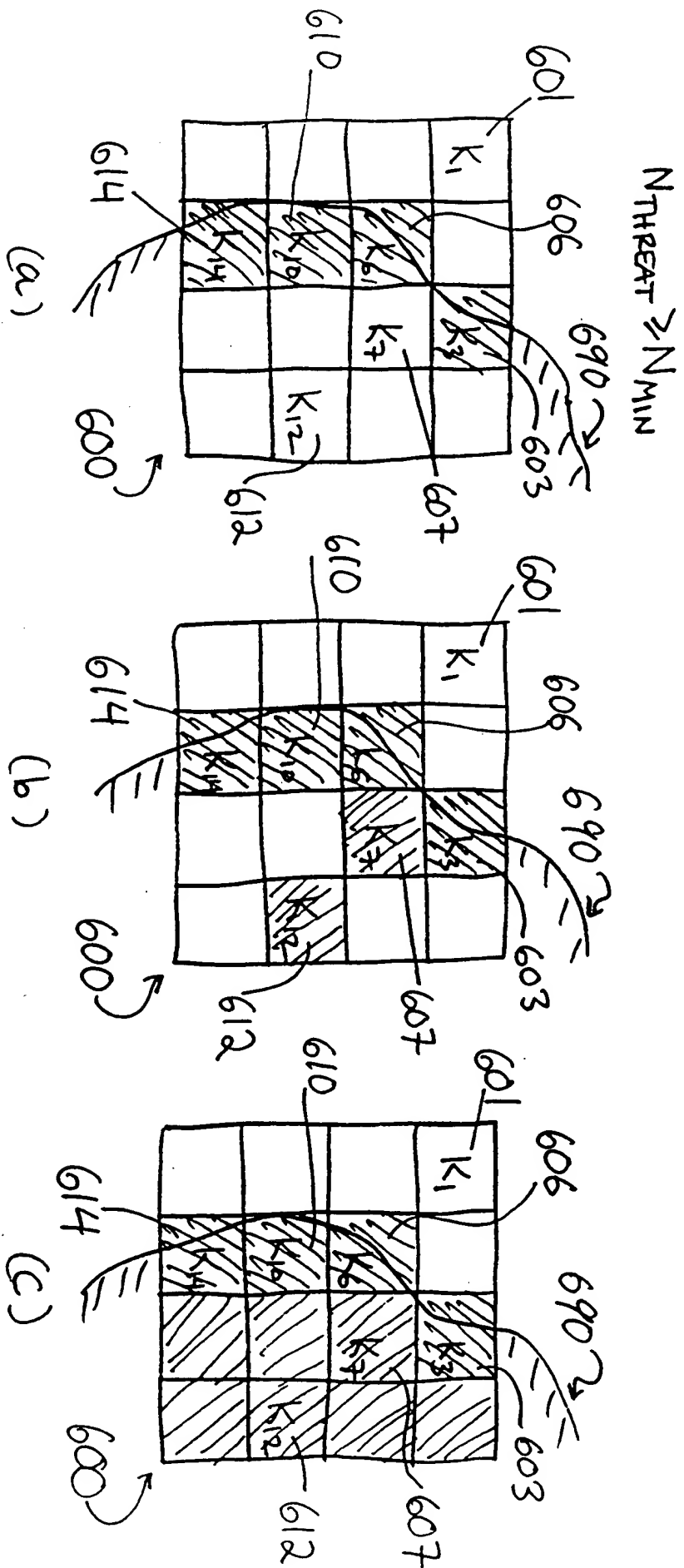


FIGURE 8





$$|k_1 - k_{AV}| > \Delta k$$

$$|k_7 - k_{AV}| \leq \Delta k$$

$$|k_{12} - k_{AV}| \leq \Delta k$$

FIGURE 9

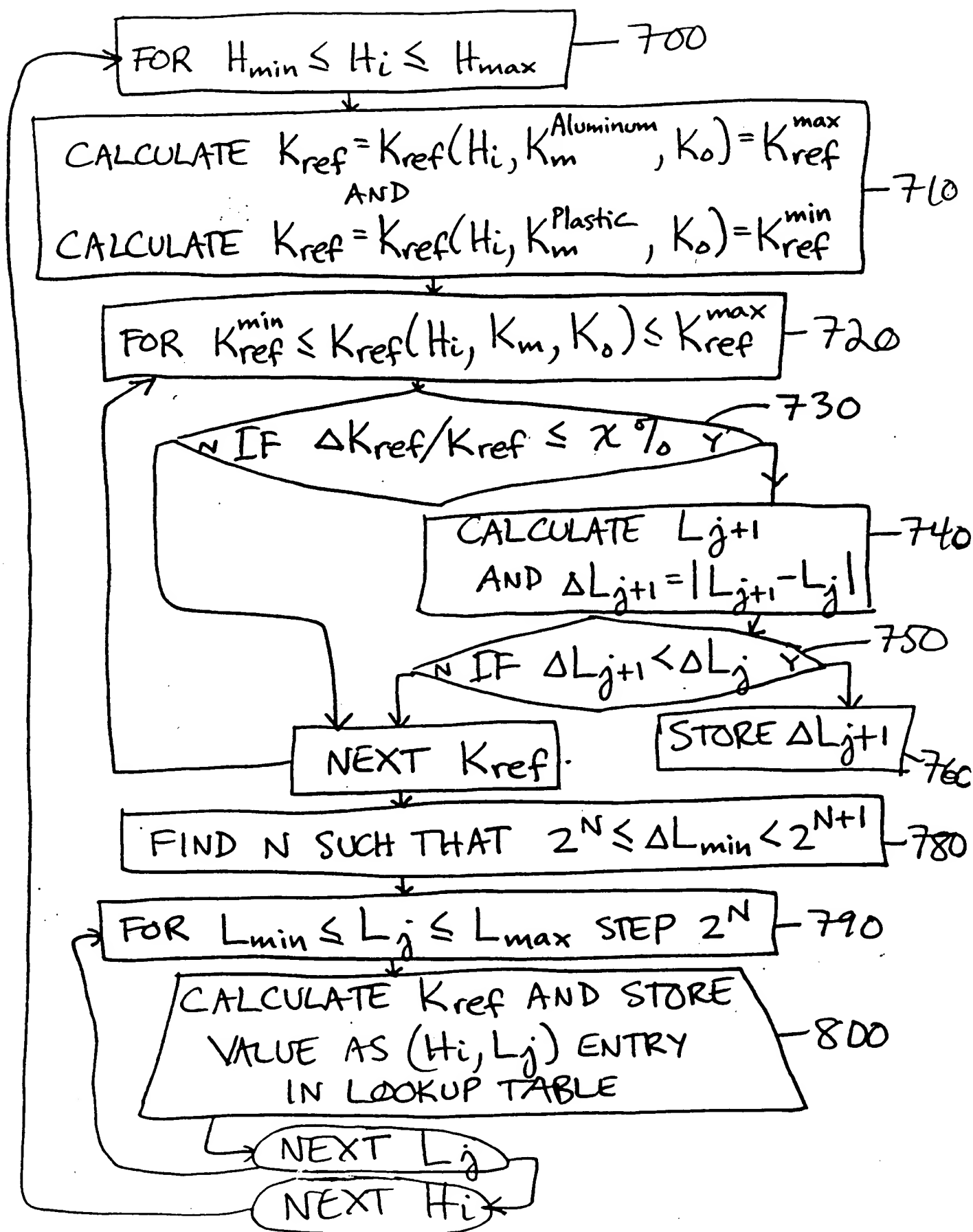


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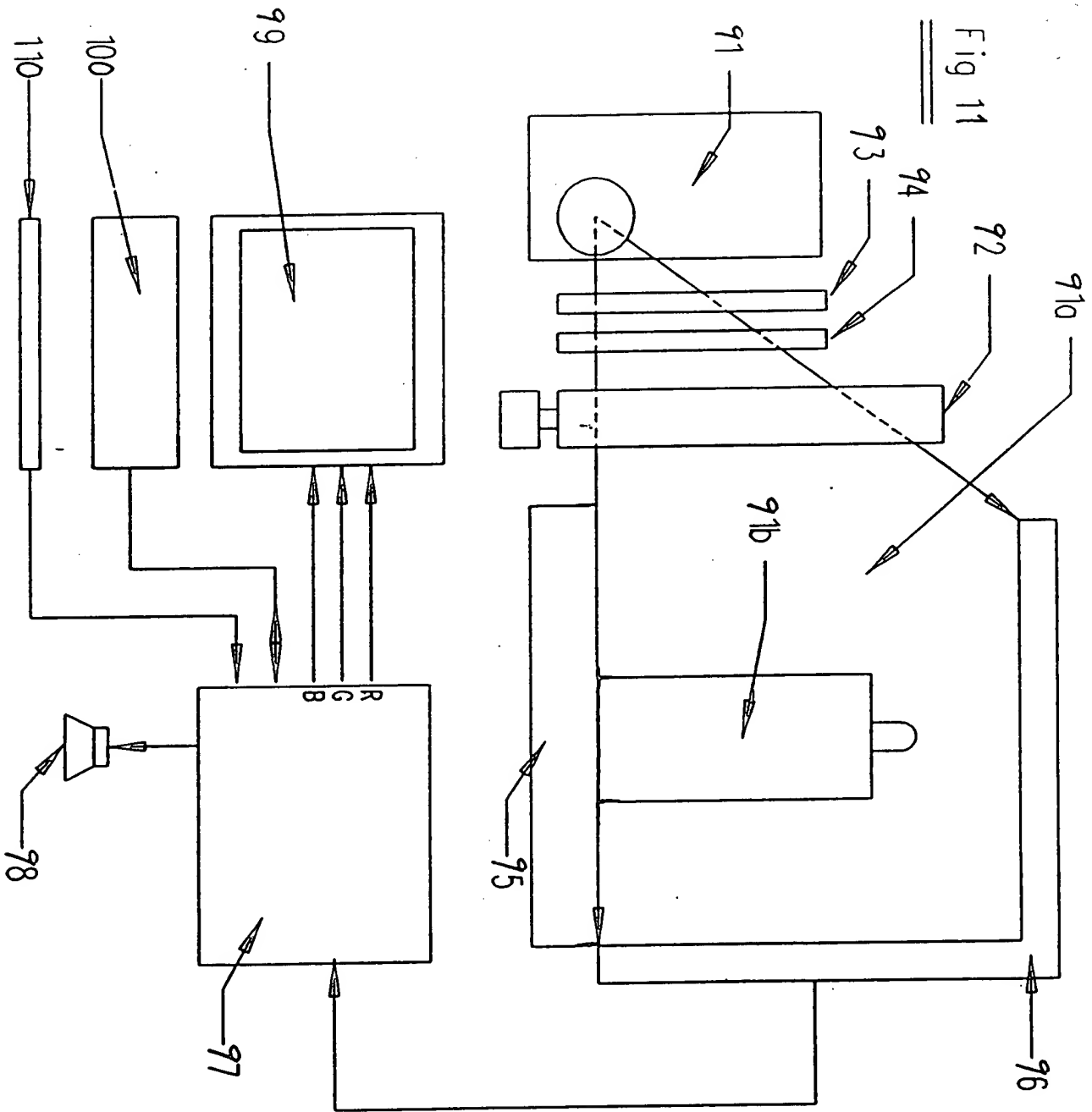


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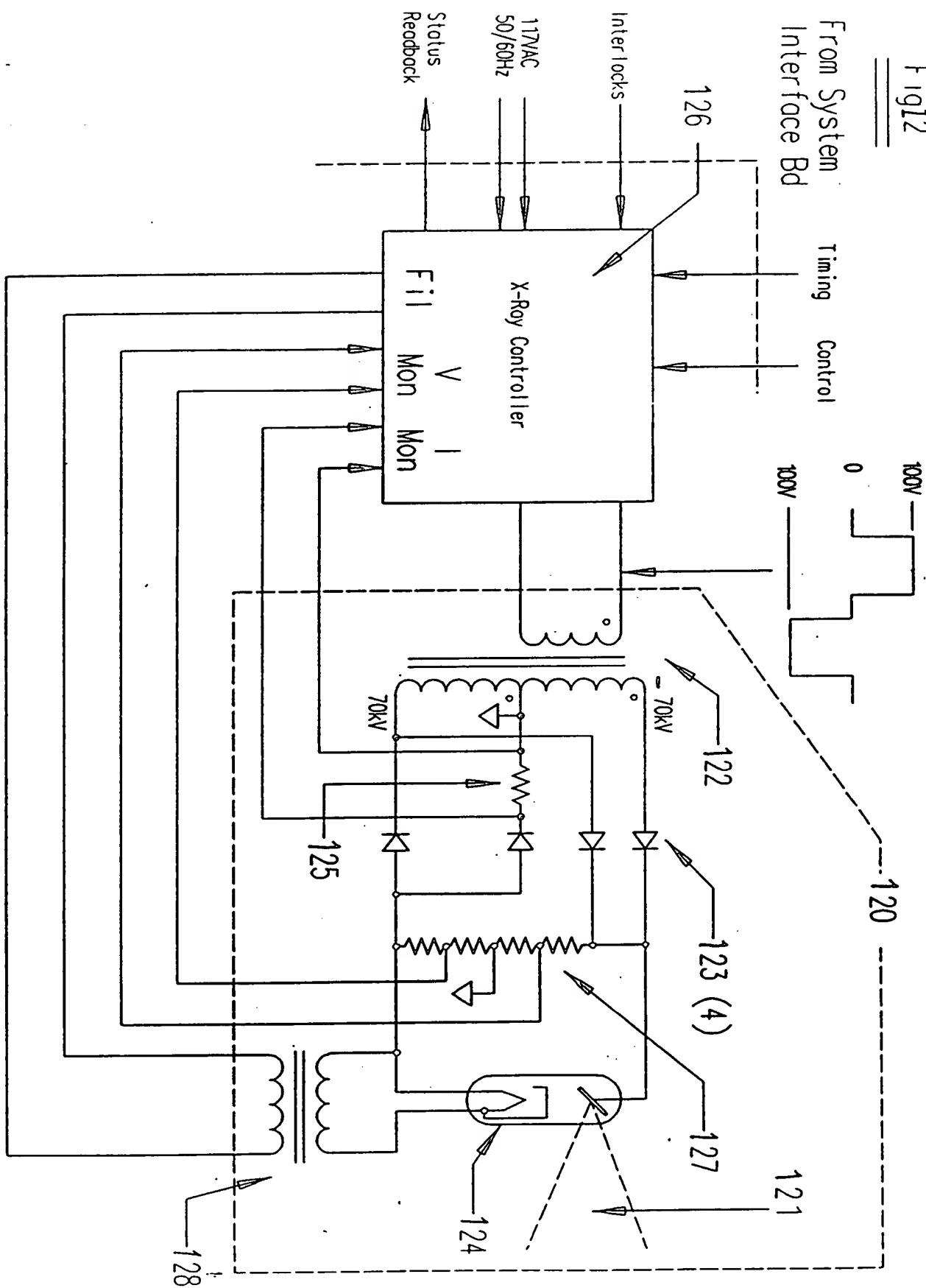
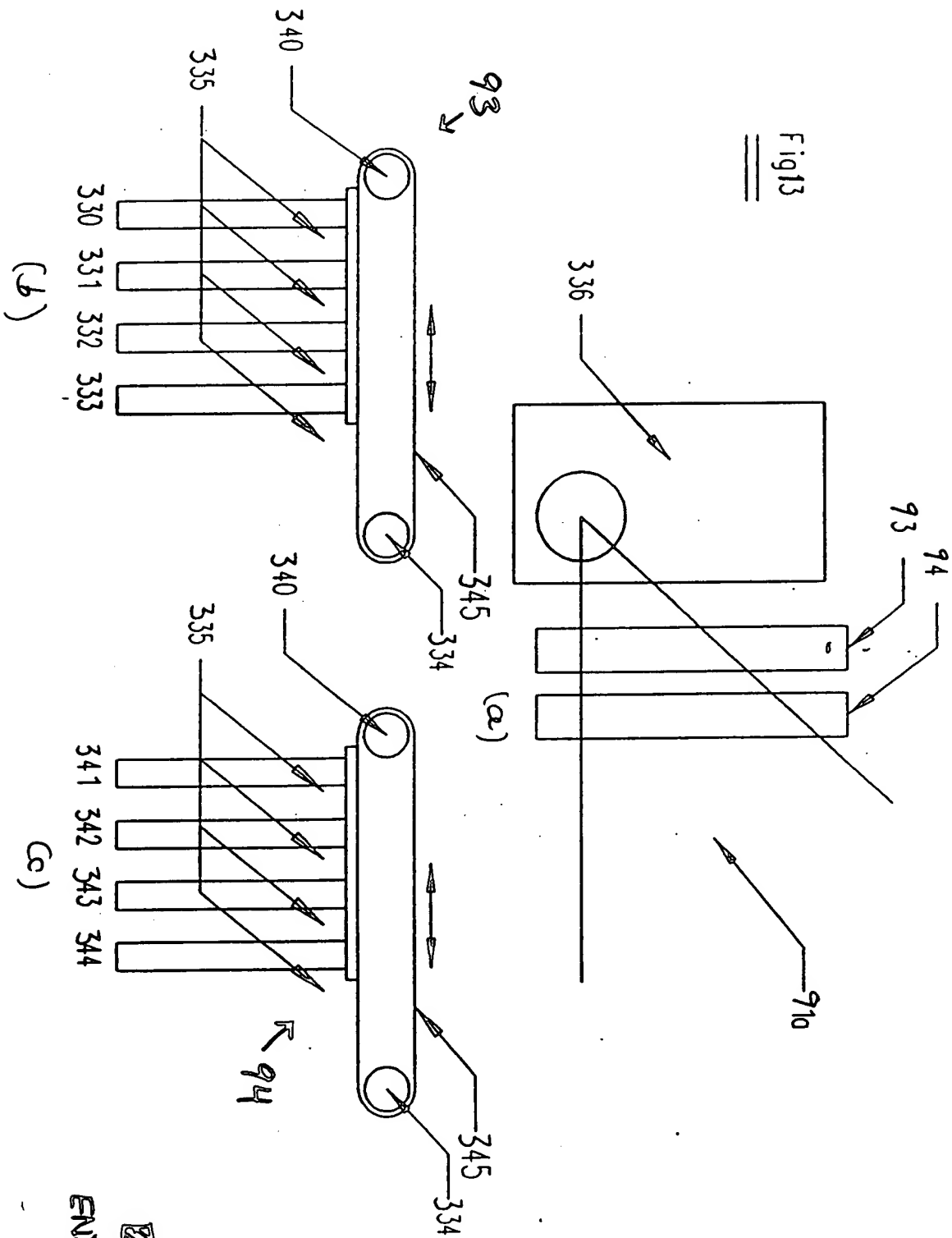


Fig 13



ENDWISE VIEW

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FIG. 14

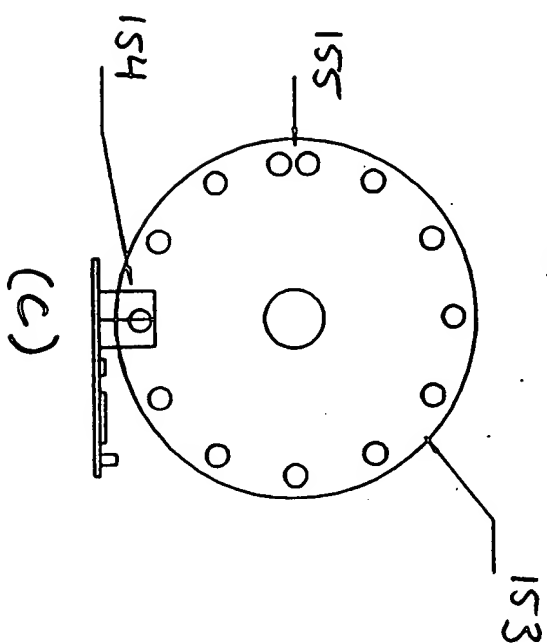
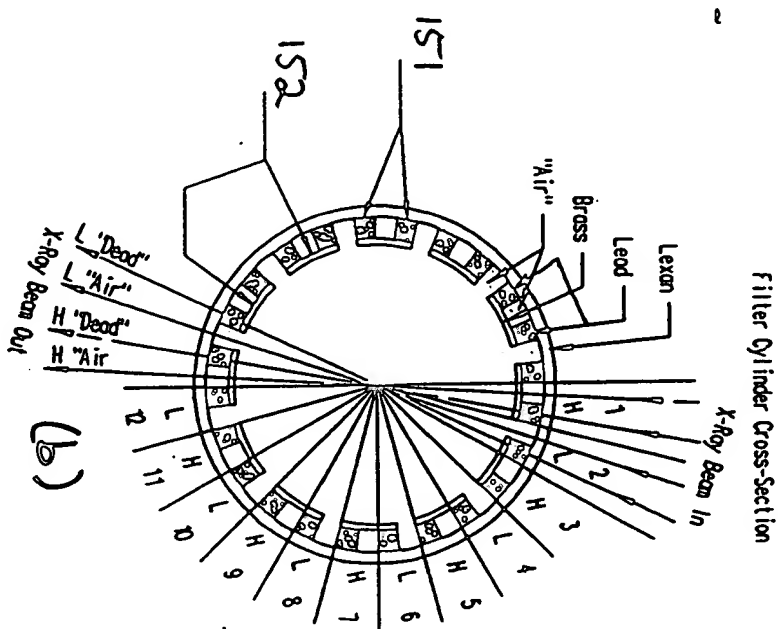
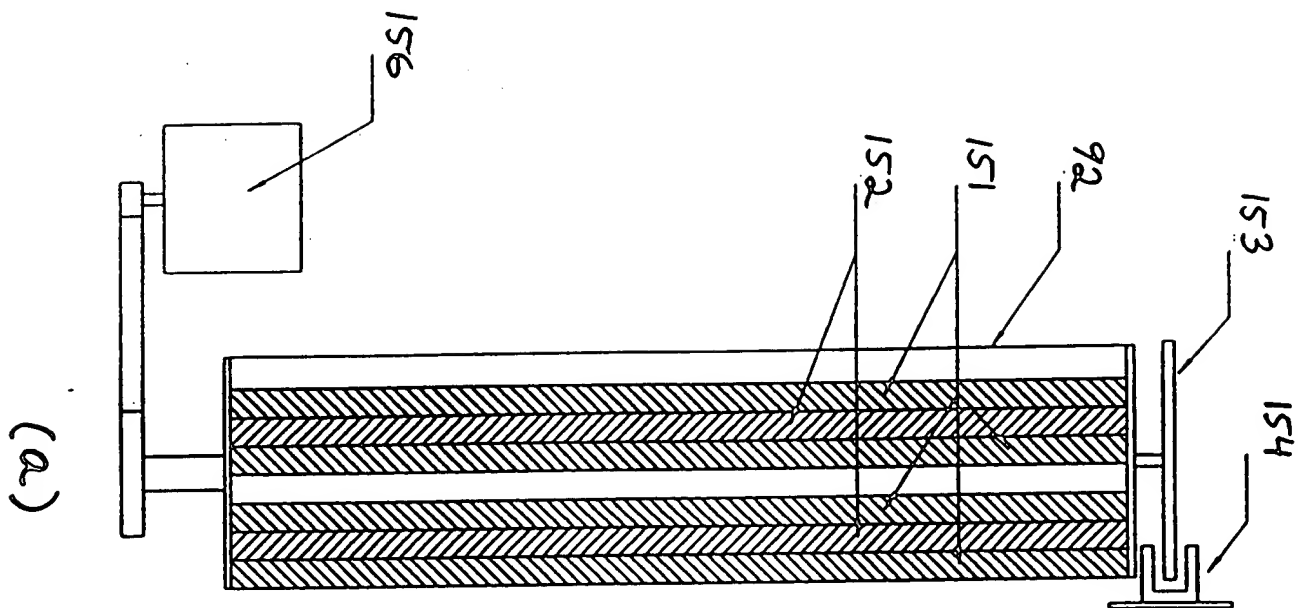


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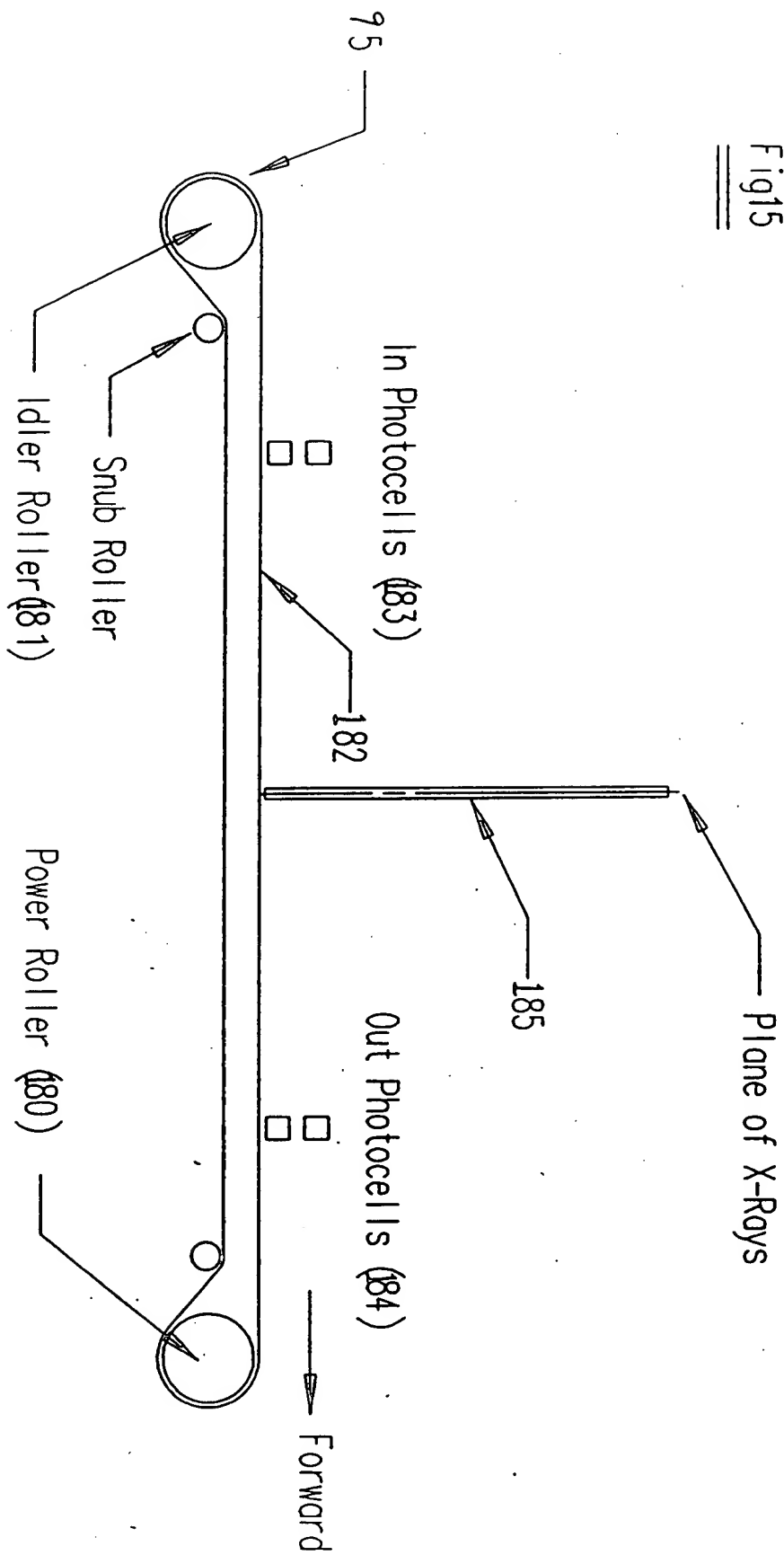
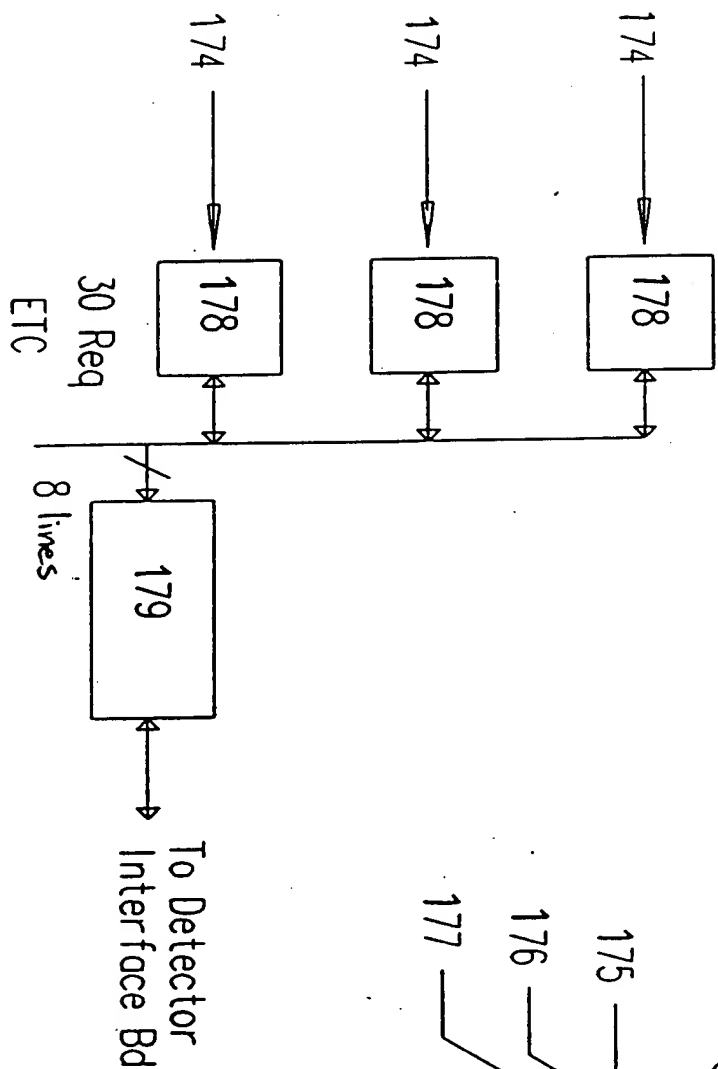
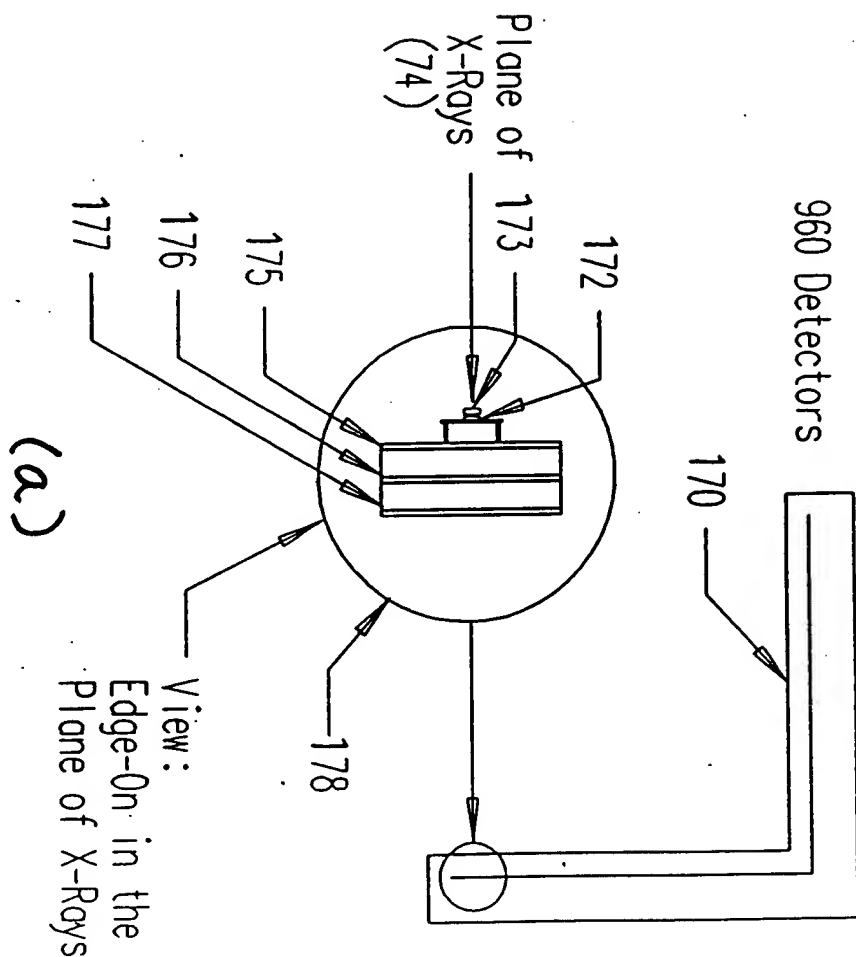


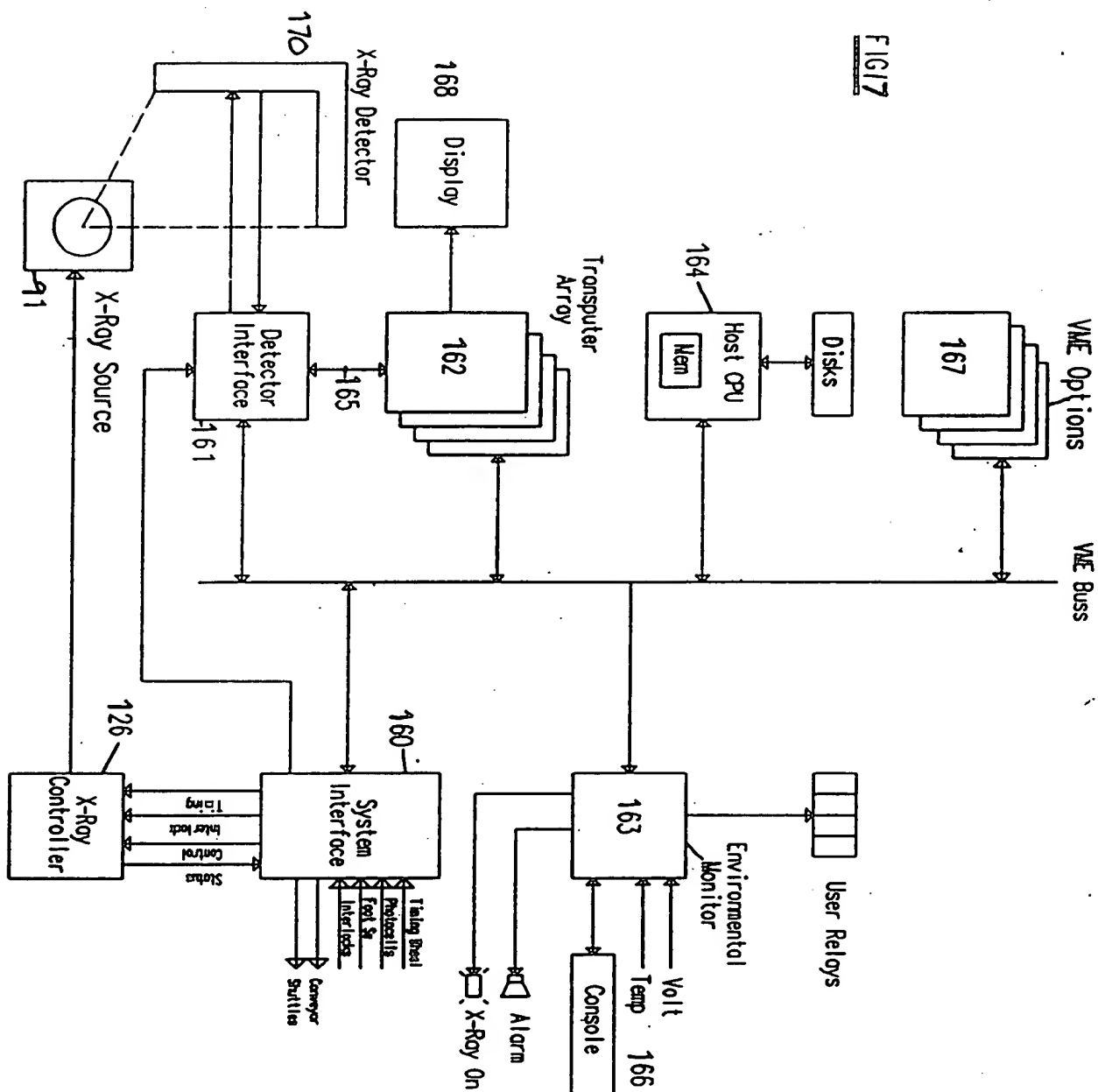
FIG 16



(b)



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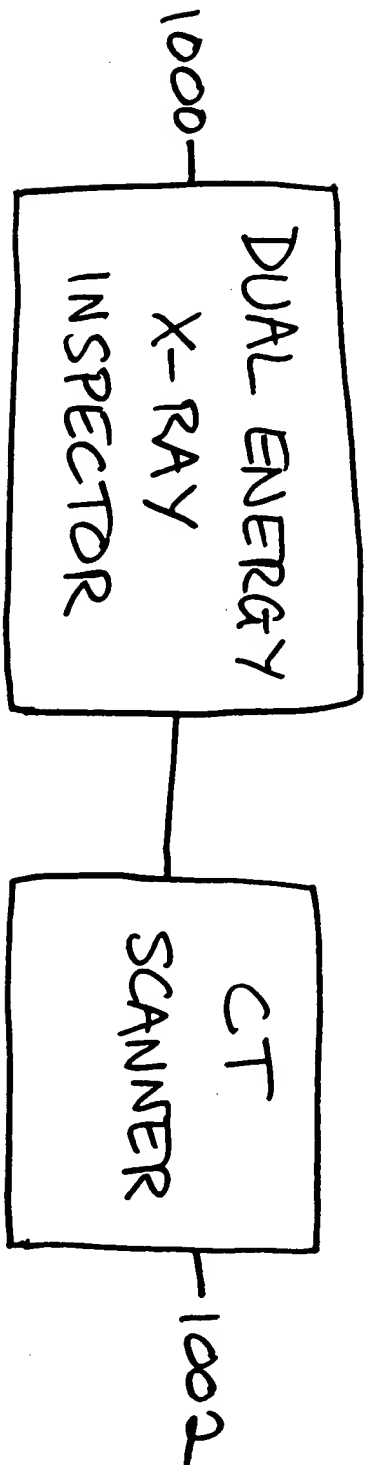


FIGURE 18a

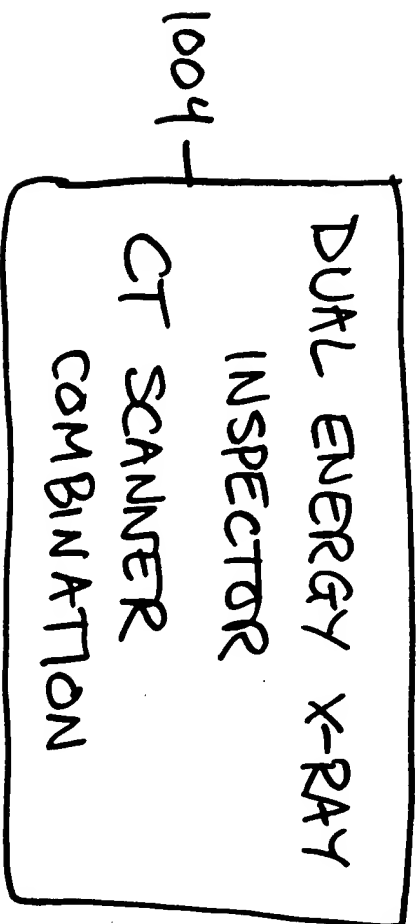


FIGURE 18b

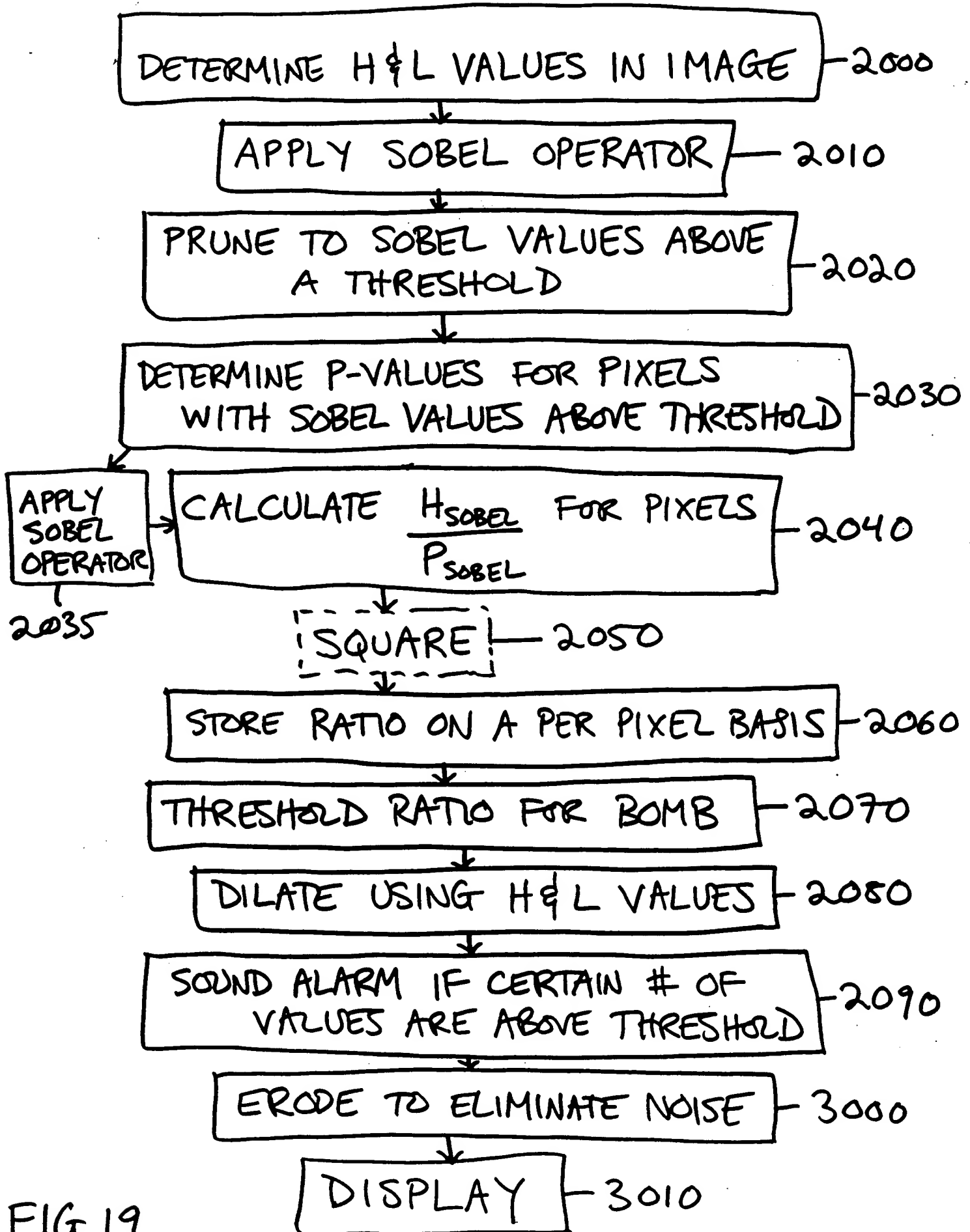


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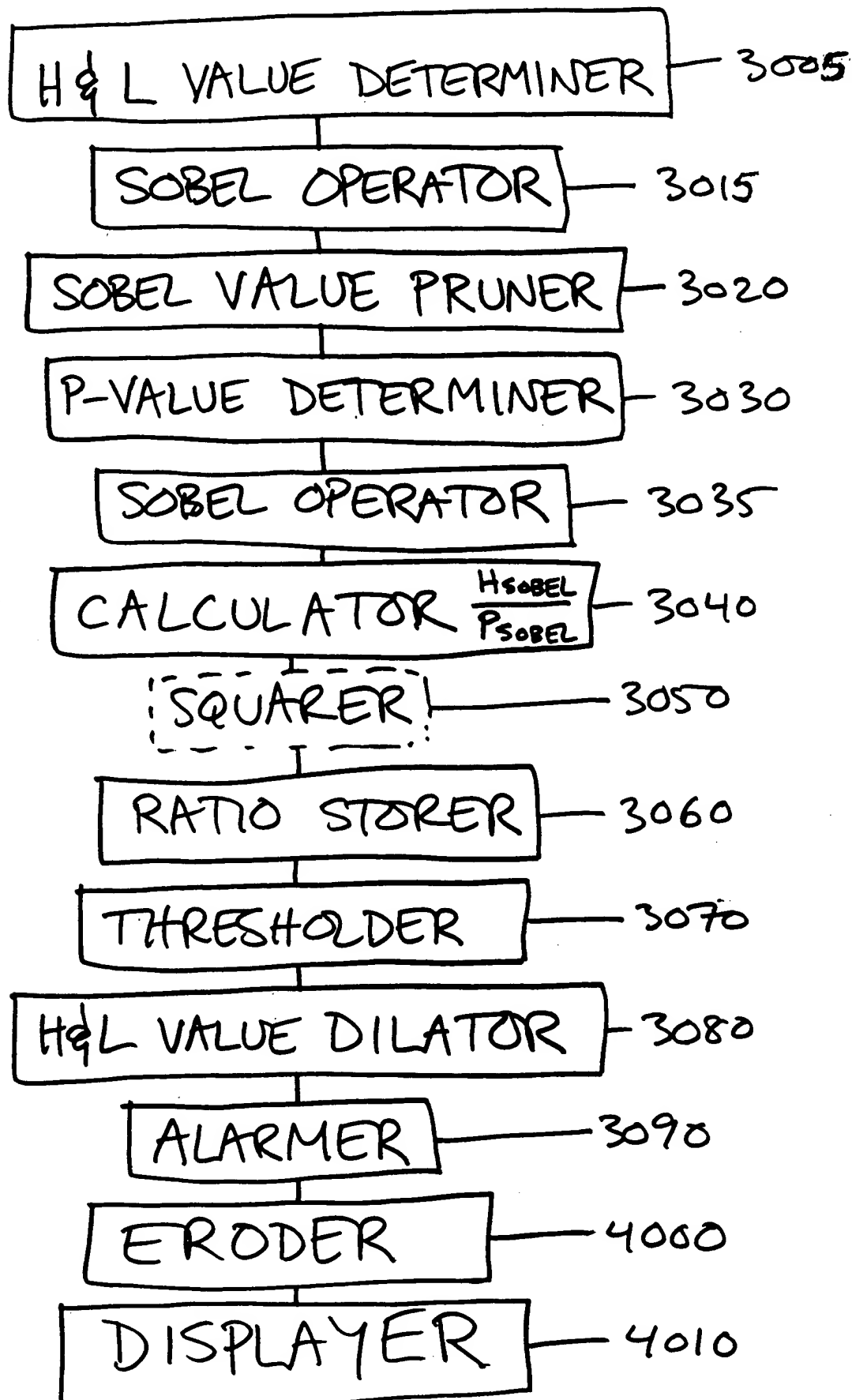


FIGURE 20